

## Entertains Missionary Society Thursday

Mrs. John Woudenberg entertained the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First United Evangelical church at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wilhemina Maechtle, at 152 N. Second Street, on Thursday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Gustaf Redine read the Scripture lesson and offered prayer. Mrs. J. G. Fidler read an interesting leaflet and Mrs. Kemp and Miss Hedwig Gieser sang, "Cast Thy Bread Upon the Waters," with much blessing to all. Mrs. Frieda Brown presented the topic for the day, concluding the subjects covered in the text book, "New Frontiers in the Central Sudan," by C. Gordon Beacham. The present condition of the heathen, among other things is due to the violation of their consciences generation after generation. While they have some knowledge of right and wrong it does not seem to influence their conduct. Judgment will be according to light. Our responsibility is to give them the gospel message. Mrs. C. G. Unangst, as current events secretary, presented up-to-date information concerning the present situation in India, Africa, China and Japan. The Salvation Army has undertaken the "World's Grimmiest Missionary Task" by opening up a post on the "Devil's Isle," the French penal colony to which political prisoners and desperate criminals are exiled for life. Devil's Isle is no misnomer. The horror of life in this prison cannot be imagined; conditions are terrible beyond descrip-

tion. The French government, which in the past has been reluctant to give its consent to any religious order, has at last realized the fact that spiritual forces alone can alter the lives of the hardest criminals. One new member was received. The meetings are rich in educational and spiritual values.

## Boy Scout Notes

### Troop 32

We met at Elm Place school at 7:00 o'clock and had a few minutes of drill. Then we went out and played capture the flag.

The No. 2 beat the No. 1 by a score of 4 to 2. Then we had the benediction and went home.—David Jenkins, troop reporter.

### Troop 32

Troop 32 had a troop officers meeting Tuesday, Oct. 7. It started at 7:45 p. m.

The officers are: Cobra Patrol—A. Brush, patrol leader; Don Hurd, assistant. Flying Ace Patrol—Paul Allen, patrol leader; Bob Lehr, assistant. Block Feet Patrol—Tom Stratford, patrol leader; Fred Golden, assistant. Scribe, Ed West; quarter master, Dexter Calkins; treasurer, Newman Fell; assistant scout master, Ernest West, in charge of instruction and test passing; A Brush in charge of drill and maneuvers; Joe Riddle in charge of games.

Then we had refreshments and some went home and others played billiards.—David Jenkins, troop reporter.

## "Common Clay" One of Season's Best Comes to Alcyon

Can an unmarried mother hope for justice from our "best people?"

Who are our "best people?"

Can a girl who has made a mistake ever rehabilitate herself?

These are some of the absorbing questions that are fearlessly answered in "Common Clay," Victor Fleming's remarkable production for Fox movie-tone featuring Constance Bennett and Lew Ayres, which opens next Tuesday at the Alcyon theatre.

Closely following Cleves Kinkead's noted Harvard prize play in its theme and story, the screen version is said to be more gripping and dramatic than the original. Miss Bennett enacts the role that carried Jane Cowl to fame before the footlights.

The story centers around a pleasure-loving girl who takes a job in a speak-easy because of the gaiety and music she craves. When the establishment is raided, she sees the dangers of the path she is following and abandons the bright lights for a position as a maid in a fashionable home. Here, however, she finds herself subject to the same unwelcome attentions and eventually falls in love with the young heir of the house, played by Lew Ayres who betrays her.

Her subsequent efforts to secure justice for herself and her child, with the unexpected turn of events at the climax, form a basis for one of the most interesting screen offerings of recent months. Miss Bennett's work as the girl is acclaimed by critics as a triumph of audible films. A distinguished cast, including Tully Marshall, Beryl Mercer, Hale Hamilton, Purnell B. Pratt, Matty Kemp and other favorites, enact prominent roles.

### "Dough Boys"

Mud face packs were used for makeup, but not exactly as beauty aids, in "Dough Boys," new Buster Keaton comedy which will open Sunday at the Alcyon theatre. In the battle scenes of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer satire on army life, the actors, who were fighting in mud, applied "makeup" by simply smearing their faces with it. Sally Eilers, heroine, also came in for her "beauty treatment." Edward Sedgwick directed the new picture, an hilarious story of the war. Cliff Edwards, Edward Brophy, Pitzzy Katz, Victor Potel, Arnold Korff, Frank Mayo and William Steele are in the cast.

## Waukegan Wants Big State Fish Hatchery

The Waukegan and North Chicago Chamber of Commerce has entered the fight to obtain the big fish cultural station that the federal government will build in this section of Illinois.

Waukegan is being seriously considered by the United States bureau of fisheries for the proposed plant which will cost \$75,000 for erection and for which a sum of nearly \$200,000 will be set aside for maintenance. An inspection of a possible site here will be made this fall, it is stated.

Mrs. Francis Norwood Bard entertained Tuesday at a miscellaneous shower at the Exmoor club for Miss Gwendolyn James.

## Memorial Services for Geo. E. Cole

A memorial meeting to commemorate the public service of George E. Cole, will be held at the City Club of Chicago at four o'clock, Sunday afternoon, Oct. 19th.

Mr. Cole's death on August 18th, last, in his eighty-fifth year, ended a career of unique distinction in the annals of governmental reform.

The members of the organization with which Mr. Cole was identified, in whose behalf this meeting has been arranged, are especially invited to attend and to extend the invitation to others.

### PROGRAM

Graham Taylor, Presiding

J. Frank Aldrich, Personal Reminiscences.

Hoyt King, The Story of the First Eight Years.

Walter L. Fisher, The Municipal Voters' League.

Lessing Rosenthal, The City Club.

Henry P. Chandler, The Citizens' Association.

Clifford W. Barnes, The Legislative Voters' League.

David E. Shanahan, The Constitutional Convention Aims.



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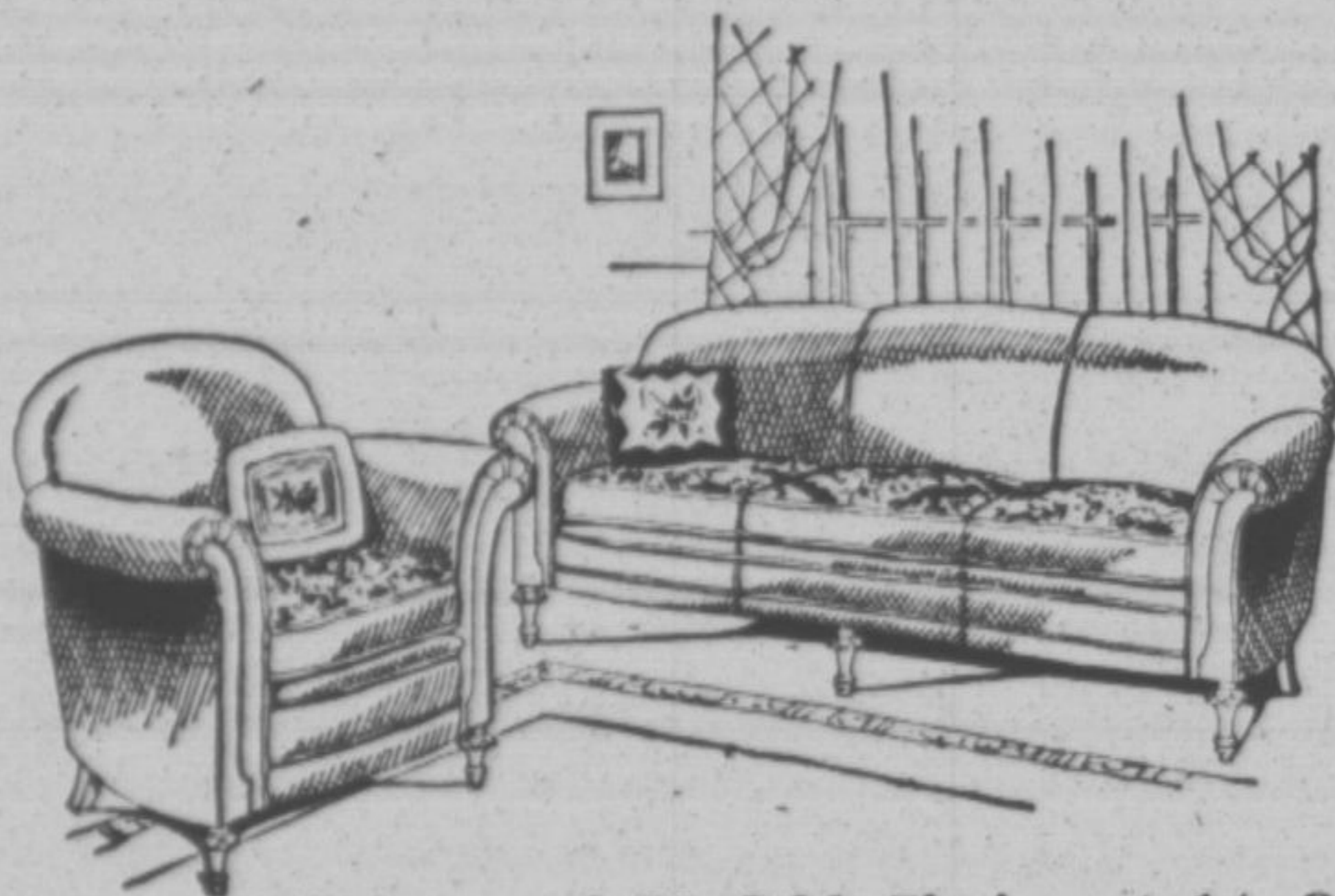
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